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1. Supplemental plans for supplies of vehicles to various units were presented to the BfW by the HVA on 7 August 1952.
2. The first plan was for the supply of the following to an artillery unit ("B" Einheit):
 - (a) 12 G.5 trucks for decimeter stations.
 - (b) 3 fire fighting vehicles (Feuerloeschzeuge), (exact type not given)
 - (c) 25 - 80 trailers for tank transport, each capable of carrying between 40 - 80 tons.
3. An additional emergency order for an engineering unit ("D" Einheit) was presented as follows:
 - (a) 57 H.6 trucks.
 - (b) 9 tractors (Type Pionier).
 - (c) 45 towing-vehicles (Type HORSCH Z.3.)
4. An additional emergency order for a "G" Einheit was as follows:
 - (a) 55 BMW cars.
 - (b) 170 motorcycles, (Type AWO).
5. Instructions were given by the Chief of the BfW that an effort should be made to complete at least 40% of the above orders by the end of August, 1952.

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Comment: It appears possible that the vehicles listed in the attached report are for units of two new Corps which independent reports indicate are to be formed in the DDR by the end of 1953.

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